

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, state bar number, and address): TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO.: _____ ATTORNEY FOR (Name): _____	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF _____ STREET ADDRESS: _____ MAILING ADDRESS: _____ CITY AND ZIP CODE: _____ BRANCH NAME: _____	
PETITIONER: _____ RESPONDENT: _____	
RESPONSE TO PETITION TO ESTABLISH PARENTAL RELATIONSHIP (Uniform Parentage)	
CASE NUMBER: _____	

1. ☐ Respondent admits being the parent of the children listed in item 2 of the petition.
2. ☐ Respondent claims that parentage has been established by Voluntary Declaration of Paternity (*attach copy*).
3. ☐ Respondent requests genetic (blood) tests to determine whether ☐ Respondent ☐ Petitioner is the ☐ Mother ☐ Father of the children.
4. ☐ Respondent claims the following statements of the Petitioner are false (*use item numbers from the petition or explain*):
5. ☐ Respondent does not have sufficient information to answer the following statements of the petition, so Respondent denies them (*use item numbers from the petition or explain*):
6. ☐ Respondent admits that all other statements of the petition are true.
7. ☐ AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES Respondent asserts the following defenses (*specify*):

8. Respondent requests

- ☐ That the court deny the relief Petitioner seeks and award Respondent attorney fees and costs of suit.
- ☐ Other (*specify*):

If you admit your parental relationship or if you wish to establish or maintain a relationship with the child, complete the applicable items below.

9. ☐ CHILD CUSTODY
 - a. ☐ I consent to the custody order requested.
 - b. ☐ I request the following custody order (*specify*):
10. ☐ CHILD VISITATION
 - a. ☐ I consent to the visitation order requested.
 - b. ☐ I request the following visitation order (*specify*):
11. ☐ MEDIATION I request mediation to work out a parenting plan.
12. ☐ EXPENSES OF PREGNANCY AND BIRTH ☐ I do ☐ I do not consent to pay the costs of pregnancy and birth as set forth in the petition.
13. ☐ FEES AND COSTS OF LITIGATION ☐ I do ☐ I do not consent to the order requested.
14. ☐ NAME CHANGE ☐ I do ☐ I do not consent to the request for a change in the children's names pursuant to Family Code section 7638.
15. CHILD SUPPORT If the court determines that you are a parent of the children, the court may make orders for support of the children without further notice to either party. An earnings assignment order will be issued.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: _____



(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF RESPONDENT)

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